

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please add the following paragraph before the paragraph beginning at page 7, line 15 of the present application as follows:

FIG. 2 shows the suture 104 extending distally from the strap 112 so that the locking apparatus terminates proximal of a distal end of the suture 104. The suture 104 provides a pivotal connection between the anchor 108 and the strap 112 as shown in a comparison between FIGS. 1B and 2.